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SUBJECT: VISIT TO JAPAN BY FCC OFFICIAL.

1. MR. WALTER HINCHMAN, CHIEF, COMMON CARRIER BUREAU,
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION (FCC) WILL VISIT
JAPAN OCTOBER 2-9, 1977. FOLLOWING ITINERARY IS AS
DEVELOPED BY HINCHMAN IN COORDINATION WITH MR. TADAO
TATENO, FIRST SECRETARY (POST AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS),
JAPANESE EMBASSY, WASHINGTON:

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2 - ARRIVE IN TOKYO VIA PA 1 AT 1715 HOURS.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 3 - ATTEND INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SPONSORED BY JAPAN INFORMATION
PROCESSING DEVELOPMENT CENTER.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4 - (AM) FIELD TRIP TO TAMA NEWTOWN
TWO-WAY CATV EXPERIMENT. (PM) FIELD TRIP TO AN ELECTRONIC
FACTORY WHICH PRODUCES PBX, CENTREX, ELECTRONIC
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SWITCHING EQUIPMENT AND DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5 - (AM) (10:00 AM - 12:00 PM) MEETING
WITH OFFICIALS OF THE OFFICE OF DIRECTOR GENERAL OF
TELECOMMUNICATIONS, MINISTRY OF POSTS AND TELECOMMUNI-

CATIONS (MPT). (TOPICS: PRICING REGULATION OF

TELECOMMUNICATIONS, DATA-COMMUNICATION REGULATION, INTER-
CONNECTION OF CUSTOMER-PROVIDED COMMUNICATIONS
EQUIPMENT TO TELEPHONE NETWORK.) (PM) (2:00 PM -
3:00 PM) A SPEECH, ENTITLED "COMMON CARRIER REGULATION
IN USA" WILL BE GIVEN BY HINCHMAN AT THE MPT. (PM) (3:00-
5:00 PM) MEETING WITH OFFICIALS OF THE MPT. (TOPICS:
TAMA NEWTOWN TWO-WAY CATV EXPERIMENT, SATELLITE
COMMUNICATIONS.)

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6 - (AM) MEETING WITH MEMBERS OF NTT
HEADQUARTERS (NIPPON TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH PUBLIC
CORPORATION). (TOPICS: BILLING PROCEDURES OF THE
TELEPHONE SERVICE, LONG DISTANCE OPERATION AND MOBILE
COMMUNICATIONS.) (PM) VISIT TO A TELEPHONE OFFICE
TO OBSERVE THE BILLING PROCEDURE AND LONG DISTANCE
OPERATIONS. (VIDEOCONFERENCE)

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7 - (AM) VISIT TO THE HEADQUARTERS OF
KDD (KOKUSAI DENSINKI DENWA, INC.) (PM) SUPER EXPRESS
TRAIN FROM TOKYO TO KYOTO.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8 - SIGHTSEEING IN KYOTO.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9 - (AM) SUPER EXPRESS TRAIN FROM KYOTO
TO TOKYO. (PM) LEAVE TOKYO FOR USA VIA NW 4 AT 1440
HOURS.

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2. IN ADDITION TO TOPICS LISTED IN ITINERARY ABOVE,
HINCHMAN WOULD LIKE TO DISCUSS ANY OR ALL OF FOLLOWING
SUBJECTS DURING VISIT WITH NTT ON OCTOBER 6: MOBILE
TELEPHONE DEVELOPMENTS; SPECIALIZED SERVICES (PRIVATE
LINE, DATA, FACSIMILE); LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE RATE
STRUCTURE; LOCAL EXCHANGE TECHNOLOGY; DATA PROCESSING
VERSUS COMMUNICATIONS.

3. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO CONFIRM WITH MPT HINCHMAN'S
ITINERARY FOR OCTOBER 3 - 7 TO INCLUDE PASSING
INFORMATION PER PARA 2 ABOVE.

4. HINCHMAN REQUESTS HOTEL RESERVATIONS, SINGLE ROOM,
MODERATE COST, IN TOKYO OCTOBER 2 - 6 AND KYOTO
OCTOBER 7 AND 8. (AT KYOTO, HINCHMAN WOULD LIKE TO STAY
AT THE "COUNTRY INN", IF AVAILABLE.) CHRISTOPHER

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